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NOTES AND COMMENTS

Spectator Discusses the Stage Villain of the Nineteenth Century.

Meeting of the British Association—The Value of Discussing Theories.

A new play has recently been put on the stage in London entitled "The Middleman." The stage villain of the nineteenth century is neither a Jesuit priest in disguise nor a dark eyed Italian poisoner. The avaricious guardian, who plots to gain possession of his ward's inheritance, has gone completely out of fashion, and theatre goers are even growing somewhat wearied of the insidious Frenchman who seeks to beguile the wife of the bluff, straightforward English squire. It is the contractor, the "sweater," the unnecessary middleman, who is the modern villain and tyrant, and this unromantic personage has finally been put on the stage to be held up for abhorrence. The scene of "The Middleman" is laid in Shropshire, amid the potteries, and local coloring and Wedgewood traditions give coloring to the play. The middleman himself is the bad genius who works all the mischief, but of course he is ultimately defeated by the virtuous lovers who, when the audience takes leave of them are industriously earning the means for a comfortable livelihood with a fair prospect of being happy ever afterwards, for although the machinery of melodrama has changed the old-fashioned ending of a story has not been discarded.

On this, the thirty-first day of the dock laborers' strike, an immediate return to work may safely be predicted. A week ago the dock companies conceded all the men's demands on condition that changes were deferred until January the first. But the men, sustained in courage by the substantial help and sympathy shown them by their Australian brother workers who have subscribed altogether £7000 for their aid, summarily refused to accept the terms offered them. The conciliation committee, consisting of the Lord Mayor, the Bishop of London, Cardinal Manning and Sir John Lubbock, did not allow themselves to be discouraged but at once resumed their efforts to mediate between the joint committee of dock companies and the men's executive committee. Cardinal Manning has great influence with the latter. He has all along shown much sympathy with the dock laborers, but still he has urged them to compromise. Substantially they have gained all they ask and it is believed now that they will at once resume work on the old terms on the understanding that the new methods of work and payment will come into operation on the fourth of November. The directors of the dock companies have urged as a plea for extension of time that it would be quite impossible for them to make immediate arrangements for such a total change of system as is demanded. Piece work, for instance, with direct payment to the men, is to be substituted for the old plan of contracting and sub-contracting. The companies, if they are to exist at all, must make fair profits, and the increased cost of unloading will fall on the ship-owners and merchants, and ultimately, of course, on the consumers. A basis of agreement has therefore to be arranged between the dock companies and the ship-owners, and Cardinal Manning urged upon the men that a delay of some weeks was only reasonable.

The annual season of conferences and congresses is drawing to a close and will terminate with the meetings of that association which is the venerable parent of almost all the others. The members of the medical societies met in more or less solemn conclave, in Leeds, a month ago. The Welsh people have since then been celebrating their national Eisteddfod with the assistance of Adelina Patti, who has made her home in one of their romantic valleys, and who pleasantly identifies herself to a great extent with her adopted country. This week, on Sept. 11th, the British Association, that famous "organization of peripatetic philosophers," as it was styled in its early days, began to hold its meetings in Newcastle, for the third time since its inauguration in 1831.

Half a century ago physical and chemical science did not hold the place in public estimation that they do at present. The universities disliked and discouraged them and they were entirely ignored in the public schools, while the typical, practical Englishman would ask with some contempt, "of what use is science?" It was Sir Humphrey Davy's brilliant lectures that at last stirred up a sort of intellectual curiosity and created a taste for such studies; but it was Sir David Brewster who, in an article in the *Quarterly Review*, called attention to the fact that in scientific knowledge, and especially in its practical application to manufactures and other industries, England was falling far behind the continental countries, and he proposed that "an association of our nobility, gentry and philosophers can alone draw the attention of the sovereign and the nation to this blot upon its fame." As a nation of shopkeepers it behooved England to look to her laurels, and when the first impetus was given practical men began quickly to understand the value of theories and to look more favorably upon them. Prejudices are dispelled so slowly, and cobwebs linger so long in many a musty corner that it is only by looking back upon the past that we are able to measure the progress that has been made. Fifty years ago, in 1839, when the British Association met for the first time in Newcastle, the Rev. Dr. Cockburn, Dean of York, wrote a pamphlet entitled a "Remonstrance addressed to his grace the Duke of Northumberland upon the evils produced by the British Association of Peripatetic Philosophers." He objected in the first place to popular assemblies as being of French revolutionary origin, and he warns the Duke of Northumberland that one of the many objectionable questions that will be brought before them will be "the theory of the creation of the world many ages before the birth of Adam." He concludes by saying that in his opinion the British Association was "founded in vanity and upheld in pride," but he admits that "if it would leave the Bible alone" its interference would be impertinent. It is curious to read such a remonstrance as this with reference to an association which now numbers among its honored members so many clergymen and ministers.

During the first few years of its existence it was the custom of the association to select for president a man of birth, a member of the aristocracy, but a new and wiser policy was soon adopted and it became the rule to choose some man of intellectual ability who had made his mark in the world by scientific research. The Duke of Northumberland was president when the association first visited Newcastle, but at the second Newcastle meeting Sir Wm. George Armstrong, the great gun man, was president, and this year the president is Professor Henry Flower, director of the natural history department of the British Museum. The subject of his opening address, namely, the prevalent defects in the organization and arrangement of museums, was somewhat suggestive of dust and dreariness and was not calculated to awaken any lively interest. Nevertheless he had a large and attentive audience. He began by describing his ideal of a museum which, it is needless to say, would be very different from the old curiosity sort of shop, where heterogeneous rubbish of all sorts is massed together. Professor Flower would have museums so arranged that they would convey definite instruction to the general public, or help the student of some special departments of science in his researches. He would, of course, score the popular idea that museums should be simply collections of odds and ends that would compete successfully for public patronage with the penny shows of a fair.

The executive committee of the British Association has very varied tastes to cater for; and though plenty of solid fare, in the shape of such lectures as Professor Flower's is offered to those who digest it, there are also numerous light refreshments, such as conversaziones and picnics for those who are as yet babes in science. SPECTATOR.

THE SAILOR'S GRAVE.

One midst the forests of the West
By a dark stream is laid,
The Indian knows his place of rest
Far in the cedar shade.—MRS. HEMANS.

The Geo. W. Elder had cast her anchor in Freshwater Bay. The day was lovely, the water of the bay smooth as a mirror and as highly reflective. Close to its margin was the deep, thick rich border of the unbroken forest, and behind this and completely encircling the bay was a range of lofty mountains, some of which were snow-clad.

The bay reflected with great sharpness the belt of trees which reached the tide water-mark, and behind these, with equal distinctness the darker and deeper shadows of the lofty mountain range. Occasionally a salmon sportively leaping from the water disturbed its glassy stillness, adding additional interest to the picture, the bay soon resuming its perfect mirror-like appearance. I was much impressed with the marvellous beauty of the scene, and in speaking to our pilot, Capt. Wm. E. George, of Victoria, B. C., of its loveliness, he said to me, pointing to a particular part of the forest, "Eighteen years ago, a young Englishman serving on board the admiral's ship, the U. S. steamship Saranac, was killed and buried with military honors in that spot."

How wondrous must have been the sight in this bay! How quiet the resting place in the unbroken forest where in all probability the foot of white man had never trod! How grand the mountains, how far from his home, were thoughts which in quick succession rushed through my mind. I found myself unconsciously weaving the story into the following simple lines:

What mean those sounds of music,
And the dip of the muffled oar,
As those boats in long procession
Move slowly towards the shore?

And why are those men armed
Who are not bent on fray,
Why this imposing pageant
In the waters of this bay?

See! The Admiral's ship is flying
Its flag at half-mast head,
And that boat, with its mournful draping,
It bears a sailor—dead.

See! His comrades gently bear him
To his lonely place of rest,
So far from his home of childhood,
From the land which he loved best.

Hear the echo of the volleys
As they fire them o'er his head,
Ere with measured step they leave him
To slumber with the dead.

Where the wild, unbroken forest
Throws its shadows o'er the bay,
Its stillness broken only
By the salmon's sportive play.

In a land whose snow-clad mountains
Guard as sentinels his grave,
Fit resting place for England's son,
For one so young and brave.

Oh England, dear old England,
The sons lie scattered wide,
Some sleep 'neath palms in tropic lands,
Some by the glacier's side.

But dear is every spot to thee
Where'er their ashes be,
And dear to thee is this lone grave
By this Alaskan sea.

On my return from Sitka the Elder again cast anchor in the bay and I determined, if possible, to find the grave. I was unable to make the Indian, whose aid I sought, understand what I wanted, but through the aid of Mr. Kastromiinoff, the government translator, a Russian, as his name implies, I succeeded in getting the Indian, who, with two squaws, paddled me to the place.

Mr. Kastromiinoff was anxious to accompany me. He had never heard of the circumstances and was somewhat doubtful. The Indian going into the forest and before us led us to the spot, for

The Indian knows his place of rest
Far in the cedar shade.

How the memory of Capt. George had served him, not only as to the spot, but as to the date, may be gathered from the lettering upon the head board, which reads as follows:—

W. H. NEILL,
SEAMAN,
U. S. SS. Saranac.
Died July 1, 1871, aged 27 years.

I found the grave in a perfect state of preservation. Nature had lovingly covered it over with the most delicate lichen, mosses, ferns, and wild flowers, with a profusion which seemed to mock man's efforts in bedecking the resting place of the dead. I gathered specimens of these, and our pilot, who had been on board the Admiral's ship at the time, was glad to have one of the ferns as a memento. I found the lettering also on the headboard in an excellent state of preservation, and could only account for this by supposing that loving hands from ships subsequently visited the bay and carefully retouched it, so that time apparently had no hurtful effect upon it.

JOHN MACDONALD.
Freshwater Bay, Alaska, Aug. 10, 1889.

PROVINCIAL COURT.

(Before Robt. Ward, J. P.)

J. W. Roberts brought up under arrest by Officer Irvin of the city police, and charged, under information laid by John E. Jegers, master of the steamer Yosemite, with stealing from the said steamer at Esquimalt, one cod salmon, the property of the Canadian Pacific Navigation Co. The prisoner pleaded guilty and the case was remanded until Wednesday.

Jack Moose arrested for being drunk on the Indian reserve. Fined $5 and costs or seven days hard labor.

Grievous Assault.

A summons was issued this morning for James Peet, on the information of Annie, a Nit-Nat Indian, who charges Peet with assaulting her grievously and with intent to do serious bodily harm. When Annie appeared in the police court this morning her looks showed plainly that she had received the roughest kind of usage by some means. Her face was one mass of bruises, and her eyes were completely closed, so that she had to be led by the hand. The case will come up in the police court tomorrow.

About Due.

The bark Norcross is out from London nearly 150 days with a cargo for this port and Vancouver. The vessel left London the same day as the bark Lebu left Liverpool. The latter arrived here Sept. 13th, in a trip of 130 days.

HENRY IRVING.

Indignant Because he is Represented in Petticoats, Asks for Interference.

The Maritime Conference in Washington—Much Needed Reform Hoped For.

Washington, Oct. 1.—Relatives and friends of Essex Porter, son of Admiral Porter, are much distressed over his continued absence. About six months ago Lieut. Porter entered the services of Legitime's government promised to give him $5,000 a year and to insure his life for $25,000 for the benefit of his wife. No tidings have been received from him since early in the summer and as Legitime's army has been disbanded, his friends here are naturally very anxious about his safety.

NAVAL.

Washington, Oct. 1.—The navy department has finally decided to send the warship Pensacola to the Pacific station as flagship instead of to Asia as has been mentioned. The ship will go on the station after she returns from taking the eclipse party to Africa next December.

CONFEDERATE'S RELEASE.

London, Sept. 29—Mr. Courtenare, who is serving out a term of imprisonment under the Crimes Act, and about whose treatment there has been so much complaint by his parliamentary colleagues, will be liberated on the 5th of next month. A demonstration in his honor is being organized to meet in London.

THE MARITIME CONFERENCE.

London, Sept. 30.—A largely attended public meeting was held at Cambridge this evening to wish God speed to Commoner Hall, chief delegate to the maritime conference to be held in Washington. In a speech Hall said he trusted that the conference would result in the international law. The fact that Empress, mistress of the seas, attended a conference abroad for the first time, showed her anxiety to further those reforms.

HENRY IRVING INDIGNANT.

London, Sept. 29.—Henry Irving has invoked the aid of the Lord Chamberlain to stop Leslie's burlesque of him in petticoats. The Gaiety manager says if obliged to suppress the caricature of Irving he will substitute that of Kyrle Bellew.

STOCK MARKET.

New York, Sept. 28.—On the stock exchange this morning sugar and Atchison of course still monopolize all attention and each began another decline. Immediately after the opening sugar dropped three per cent. to $87, and Atchison 1¼ per cent. to $34. There was a partial reaction but no material improvement.

A Chicago contemporary has characterized Victoria, B. C., as the dullest town in America. The reason for this is that Victoria merchants do not keep their stores open all night as well as all day. We can safely challenge our Chicago critic on two points at least: One is that the Victoria merchants live longer lives and take more rational enjoyment out of life, and the other that they are quite as successful as merchants, and better preserved men all round than the Chicago merchants. We fail to see it as a thing to boast of that a man will fame and worry and wear out in thirty or forty years a frame that was meant to last seventy.—*The Canadian Journal of Fabrics.*

Bengough's Fun.

Mr. Bengough is what a westerner describes as "no slouch," blending with his qualities as a cartoonist those of a first class comedian. If *Grip* should go out of fashion, Mr. Bengough would have comedy to fall back on, and it is scarcely necessary to add that he would be as successful in the latter capacity as in his delineation of Sir John's nose. As a cartoonist, we have always regarded *Grip* as facile, pointed and opportune; never failing to point a moral to adorn a tale, which is a condition inseparable from picture language. It is not what we think, but what we feel, that causes us to act, and in this respect the allegory of the crayon is scarcely less effectual than language itself. We were not aware until last night that the comedian was associated with the cartoonist. Of course we understood that the comedianistic faculty was a part of the cartoonist's stock in trade, but we supposed it was active only through the brush. Mr. Bengough, however, possesses it in the concrete as well as in the abstract. His impersonations of certain social and political foibles are simply inimitable. We have seen Mr. Puffball in Dickens, and without desiring to lacerate the feelings of anybody we may say that Mr. Puffball flourishes as a provincial. Nor is Miss Blondbangs a mythical creature. She flourishes, and probably always will while fools are permitted to run at large. In Home Rule, "It's Irish," we have the essence of the whole question; and it is pretty safe to say that the Irish question will never be satisfactorily settled on any other basis. It is indigenous of the soil, and oppression whether real or fancied only serves to stimulate its growth. Passing on to the cartoons, while we find in Sir John's question: "How long will she float," a natural query, it seems as if the cartoonist might have put in the mouth of the lone mariner the answer: "She is good for another term." As to the licensing question as conveyed in the remark of the municipal officer, "I am impartial," the animus is unmistakable, but it must be borne in mind that whiskey is not a local question. Prohibition has had its day, and with what effect is but too well known, and it is a question whether a man should be rebuked for holding aloof from the town pump on the one hand and the gin mill on the other. However, all these things are suggestive; nay they are sermons, subtle but penetrating, and Canada has to congratulate herself of having produced a man who can wield the pencil of Nast and the pen of the prolific geniuses of *Puck* and *Judge*.

Sensational Reports.

The sensational reports telegraphed from Ottawa to the effect that the crews of the sealing schooners seized by the Rush would do dire things if the Rush sailed at this port, are laughed at by all the sealers, who are of the opinion that the crew of the Rush are in sympathy with them, and were acting under orders which they must obey. Instead of being hostile to the Rush's crew, an opposite feeling exists. There is not the slightest reason for such a sensational report ever being put in print otherwise than for a lack of "something to send," but a correspondent who cannot do better than fabricate, should abdicate.

Art Notice.

Porcelain portraits of all sizes enlarged from photos. Have your orders left with George Bigger, 86 Government street. Eight different kinds of work of art. *

The Pianoforte.

Miss Laura M. Adams, teacher of pianoforte, 34 Cadboro Bay road. *

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

THE STRIKE COLLAPSED.

Ring of Cotton Gamblers in Liverpool Broken Up.

Liverpool, Sept. 30.—The great cotton corner has collapsed, the break being caused by the report that Mr. Steenstrand, the principal holder of the cornered stock, was selling. It is evident that a large number of bulls followed the example of the leading operator in selling, and their nervousness wrecked the corner. A large number of operators and others interested in the cotton market gathered in the cotton exchange at a much earlier than usual hour this morning, expecting the greatest crisis of late years, owing to the corner in September option, engineered by Mr. Steenstrand. The market for that option opened quiet, at a decline of one point. The prices immediately dropped two points more, and then steadied. The month went out 30 points under the highest price for that month. Mr. Steenstrand holds from 70,000 to 100,000 bales of African cotton, the price of which tomorrow will be 1s 2d below the price obtained on Saturday. It is the general opinion that the cotton ring is utterly smashed

CHOOSING A KING.

The Samoans have Three Candidates from whom to Select a Ruler

San Francisco, Sept. 29.—A correspondent of the *Bulletin* writing from Apia, under date of Sept. 13, states that all interests here are centered on the election of a king. The contest is believed to lie between Malietoa, who recently returned from banishment, and Mataafa, who led the native party which recently successfully opposed German interference in the autonomy of Samoa. A majority of the chiefs favor Malietoa for king and Mataafa for vice king, while a few favor Tamasese, the rebel chief. The reorganization of the government cannot be effected till the result of the Berlin conference is made public, and matters at present are in a demoralized condition owing to the recent war and battle.

SHORT TELEGRAMS.

A Day's News Condensed Into a Brief Space.

The plumbers are now on a strike in Portland.

Socialists have failed to run the strike at Rotterdam.

The Salvation Army were pelted with rotten eggs in Portland the other night.

A congress of the states of North and South America will convene at Chicago to-morrow.

A. A. Carle, of the St. Paul *Pioneer Press*, is to take editorial charge of the *Oregonian*.

A number of miners employed in the collieries at Mons, Belgium, have gone out on a strike.

Steps have been taken to secure J. L. Sullivan's return to congress for a Boston congressional district.

Charges of bad conduct are made against Reed Lewis, of Pennsylvania, U. S. consul at Morocco.

Herr Berger, government treasurer at Dresden, has absconded, leaving a deficit in his accounts of 120,000 marks.

Gladstone is confined to his room with a slight cold, contracted while felling trees at Hawarden on Saturday.

King Alexander will not call on his mother, ex-Queen Natalie, till he gets permission from his father, ex-King Milan.

Two trains collided in a tunnel between Naples and Foggia, Italy. Twenty carriages were smashed and fifty persons killed.

The trouble between Morocco and Spain will be settled by the ruffian's delivering up the men they captured from a Spanish vessel.

Latest advices from Rotterdam are to the effect that the outlook there among the striking dock laborers is not so threatening.

A novel strike has been inaugurated by the scholars of Harwich school, England. The pupils demand shorter hours at lessons, and better teachers.

Subscriptions to the fund to meet the expenses of the Parnell defense before the special commission have closed. The total amount subscribed is £41,000.

Information has been received that the Turkish troops in Crete are cruelly torturing the Christian inhabitants. Two women were recently inhumanly treated.

A number of Rotterdam strikers wished to return to work yesterday, but were prevented by the threats of their comrades. Eight warships are moored in the river and will land forces if necessary.

Cod Fishing.

From the report of the cruise of the U. S. steamer Albatross we gather that Flattery Bank covers an area of about 1100 square miles, the least water, twenty-seven fathoms, being found at the southeastern extremity, eleven miles west by north (magnetic) from Cape Flattery lighthouse. Great numbers of halibut have been taken from this bank by Indians and others for many years, the area over which they are found in greatest numbers being about thirty-five square miles on an exceedingly rough, rocky bottom, near the southeast end.

Another bank lies west by south (magnetic), twenty-three miles from Pole Point lighthouse, northern entrance to Shoalwater bay, covering an area of 110 square miles, with a least depth of forty-two fathoms. The soundings are quite regular, the bottom being composed of sand and mud, with rocky patches.

Another small bank or rocky patch, lies S. S. W. ½ W. (magnetic), nineteen miles from Yaquina lighthouse. The least water found here was forty-two fathoms, clay and mud bottom, with rocky patches, covering an area of about forty square miles.

Heceta bank, with an area of about 600 square miles, lies S. W. ½ W. (magnetic), thirty-five miles from Heceta head, and the least water, forty-one fathoms, being found near its southern end, over a rough, rocky bottom.

Chinese Question in Australia.

The Chinese restriction laws which several of the Australian colonies passed in such a hurry last year have at least the merit of having accomplished the end desired. In New South Wales during the first year of the working of the act, which ended on the 1st inst., only 21 Chinese arrived in the colony by sea and about eighteen hundred returned to China in the ordinary course. Of the 21 arrivals several were returned residents who were aboard when the act came into force, and one or two men were naturalized and prominent residents of Sydney. In Victoria only a single Chinaman landed during the year, and he paid the poll tax of $100, while over 1000 left the colony. Meanwhile the negotiations between the British and Chinese governments on the subject are absolutely at a standstill.

Elegant New Dining Cars.

Will run daily, commencing Aug. 22nd over the Oregon Railway & Navigation Co., Oregon Short Line and Union Pacific Ry., between Portland and Missouri River. The cuisine and service are unexcelled. *

Brunswick Hotel.

The best place in town to get a 25 cent dinner is the Brunswick Hotel. *

Arrived.

Bass XXXX Ale (Lamb's Wool) at the Occidental Hotel bar. *

A RAILWAY ALLIANCE.

Unlikely Rumor Concerning the C.P.R. and Its Great American Rivals.

Canadians Who Win Championships for American Clubs—Laurier in Ontario.

SMUTTY WHEAT.

Toronto, Oct. 1.—The *Empire* says samples of standards of wheat adopted by the Northwest board of examiners this week have been received here. The extra Manitoba hard and No. 1 Manitoba hard are remarkably fine in quality, but the Northern wheat is smutty. This is a most objectionable feature in the case. Smut balls are broken in the elevators and wheat may not come out of the elevators the same grade as it was inspected.

CANADIAN WINNER.

Toronto, Oct. 1.—There is considerable feeling here against allowing Canadian athletes to compete on behalf of the American Athletic Association at Canadian meetings. George R. Gray, who is a Canadian, won the contest of putting the shot for the American Athletic Association at the meeting here on Saturday.

PERSONAL.

Montreal, Oct. 1.—Ambrose Lepine, who played a prominent part in the Northwest rebellion, and who was the principal figure in the Thomas Scott murder trial, is in Montreal visiting friends.

RAILWAY RUMORS.

Montreal, Oct. 1.—It is reported that Sir George Stephen and Sir Donald Smith left for New York to consult with the other directors of the St. Paul and Minneapolis and Manitoba Railway with a view of forming an alliance with it and the Northern Pacific, Union Pacific and Canadian Pacific, in order to control all the traffic north of Oregon. If the alliance is concluded the "Soo Line" will in future work in harmony.

IN THE TOILS.

Belleville, Oct. 1.—Peter Davis, accused of the murder of William Emery, of Marmora, on the 19th inst., was arrested and lodged in jail yesterday. He has been remanded for a week.

LAURIER TO SPEAK.

Toronto, Oct. 1.—Hon. Mr. Laurier, the Liberal leader has arrived here and will address a mass meeting to-night. He will speak at St. Catherines on Thursday.

THE CAPITAL

Northern Pacific and Manitoba Plans—As to Rifle Associations.

Special to THE TIMES.]

Ottawa, Oct. 1.—Mr Graham, general manager of the Northern Pacific and Manitoba, and H. J. Dexter, solicitor for the road, are both in town. Mr. Graham says the road will end temporarily at Brandon, but the route beyond that has not been decided upon. The Northern Pacific has an application to cross the C. P. R. pending before the railway committee of the Privy Council.

A NEW DEPARTURE.

The militia department has decided to discontinue grants to smaller rifle associations and entrust the money instead to district associations for distribution. The opinion of the department is that money given to other than militia associations is not always spent in a manner best calculated to promote the development of rifle shooting, either in the force or in the country generally.

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

NOTES.

D. S. McLeod, the wrestler, came down from Nanaimo to day and is on his way east. He says if Cameron wants a match all he has to do is to put up the money. There will be no delay about covering it.

—Tom Watson has begun to train for his race with Peck, on the 21st of this month. The latter is said to be running well, doing the hundred in less than 11 seconds.

PERSONAL.

Items Telling of Movements of Well Known Persons.

Rev. Geo. H Morden, Methodist pastor at Wellington, sailed for California to-day for a three weeks' vacation.

Mrs. Thos. Deasy was a passenger by the Yosemite this morning for New Westminster.

Mrs. Wm. Power, of Moodyville, is in the city, a guest with Mrs. Erb, Douglas street.

C. Harry Hastings, Mrs. Scott-Siddons northwest manager, is in the city. If suitable arrangements can be made Mrs. Siddons will appear here on Monday evening next. She is now in Portland, and it is to be hoped that our citizens will have an opportunity of hearing this celebrated lady, whose reputation as an elocutionist and artist is world-wide.

John Howard, of Esquimalt, favored the city with a visit to day, looking comparatively well.

Miss Annie Kerg was a passenger on the Sound boat for Portland this morning.

Ex-Councillor J. G. Taylor returned from San Francisco yesterday, looking well after a trip spent in sight seeing for several weeks.

P. Steele, Sr., of Bastion Square, will leave to-morrow morning for the east via Vancouver. He will be away for three or four months.

Joseph Borcowitz and son returned overland from California last evening.

Ald. Mahrer, of Nanaimo, is registered at the Oriental.

Ald. Harrison and Mrs. Harrison leave in the morning for Portland for a week's visit. The worthy alderman originally intended to go on as far as New York, but the plan was modified.

W. H. Steves, of Lulu Island, is in the city.

M. M. English came down on the Rithet to-day.

E. J. Dowler, the mining expert, arrived last night from England.

E. E. Evans, returned from Seattle yesterday.

Dr. Milos went over to Vancouver this morning.

POLICE COURT.

(Before Hon. D. M. Richards, Q. C.)

Long Yang, on remand, charged with creating a nuisance on Government street, was fined $20.

George Bedford alias Dan Apples, who is intimately acquainted with the atmosphere which doth surround the city hall of justice, was again before his honor this morning. Dan was arrested last night on Yates street in an intoxicated condition, clad in the garb of a minstrel and surrounded by a crowd, to whom he was doing the "burnt cork" act. Officers Levin and Redgrave appeared in the second act and Dan was relegated to the city bastile. This morning the last act took place and Dan will spend the next month in jail ruminating over the uncertainties which doth hedge the ways of an amateur minstrel and the man who looks too long upon the wine when it is red.

Young Chow, charged with an infraction of the building by-law, was fined $5.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

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UNDER WHICH FLAG.

Mr. J. H. TURNER, of TURNER, BEETON & Co., Wharf street, would, under ordinary circumstances, be a very unlikely personage to attract the attention of the press; but when Mr. TURNER ceased to be an ordinary individual by becoming a member of the provincial cabinet and therefore an adviser of the Crown, his public conduct as a minister and a merchant is a fair subject for criticism. For instance, as a private citizen, with strong American sympathies, there would have been nothing dishonorable, however seditious it might have been—in Mr. TURNER advising the Metlakahtlan Indians to emigrate in a body to Alaska; but when a member of the Legislature and a prospective member of the Cabinet so far forgot his allegiance to QUEEN and country as to recommend depopulation, and consequent disintegration, he was guilty of a very grave crime against the state. It is true that at that time it was claimed for Finance Minister TURNER that he had signed the now famous letter of expatriation without giving the subject any consideration and while ignorant of the possible effect of what he was doing. It was a business act. Mr. TURNER and Mr. DUNCAN, the head of the Metlakahtlans, were closely allied commercially, and in advising the wholesale deportation of his customers to Chester Island, Mr. TURNER's ledger spoke louder than patriotism, and drowned the still small voice of the "loyal" Minister of Finance. Precisely the same influences—the same mercenary considerations—are at work to-day, and the Hon. Mr. TURNER, 'with the accent on the "hon.'" is still striving to serve British Columbia and Canada by patronizing American commercial interests—prating loyalty to Victoria and her institutions while robbing them at every possible opportunity.

We believe Mr. TURNER—the Hon. Mr. TURNER—makes it his boast that he never ships an ounce of goods over Canadian railways which he can transport by American lines; and carrying his contempt for Canadian institutions a little further on the same line, he has taken care that all the salmon on the Fraser and the Skeena, of which he has control, should be moved in American bottoms only. Capt. IRVING, Manager of the C. P. N. Co., of this city, has called the attention of the Marine Department at Ottawa to the fact that foreign vessels were permitted to call at the different canneries on the Fraser and take on board shipments of salmon for foreign ports. Capt. IRVING thinks the policy that permits American vessels privileges of this kind in Canadian waters, when Canadian vessels are denied the same rights in American waters, is "protection" to foreign shipping, and therefore to the detriment and loss of Canadian capital and enterprise. Representations made to the Dominion Government have been successful, we understand, in having the boundaries of the port of New Westminster defined so that the canneries are excluded therefrom, and Mr. TURNER—the Hon. Mr. TURNER—will be compelled in future to patronize Canadian bottoms.

The Colonist of this morning contains the following:

"Steamer Lakme sailed at the Outer wharf early yesterday morning on her way from the Skeena to Portland. She had on board 18,000 cases of salmon for Eastern shipment, 2,000 cases being for Chicago, and the balance for Canadian points."

The Lakme, an American steamer, was chartered by the Minister of Finance and sent to a Canadian port to carry Canadian salmon to United States railways for transportation to Canadian consumers. All the profits on the carrying trade are carefully directed into American channels. The product is Canadian and the purchasers are Canadians, but the Americanized Finance Minister is too loyal to the land he loves to patronize Canadian railways or ships. We do not discuss the legality of the thing for that can easily be determined by the Marine Department; we prefer only to look at the political side of the question. Mr. TURNER's position as a minister of the crown gives him opportunities for good or evil to British Columbia and to Canada. If his policy and practice is to decry everything Canadian, if it is to advise citizens to seek homes under the stars and stripes, it is time that the people of the province were considering, and having considered were determining, under which king the traitor would be permitted to serve. There must be no suspicion of the fealty of cabinet ministers, and even in private affairs and commercial pursuits their loyalty to the interests of the country that has honored them must be above the faintest shadow of suspicion. We understand the infringements of the rules regulating navigation will be considered by the Boards of Trade of the province, but that is not enough. Mr. TURNER ought to resign from the government. As plain J. H. TURNER he might with impunity gratify his hostility to our Canadian steamboat and navigation companies but as "Hon." Mr. TURNER he cannot do so without incurring deserved censure and condemnation.

A PHASE OF THE RACE QUESTION.

The latest phase of the race question is the request of Commander KELLOGG on the U. S. man-of-war Ossipee to be detailed for other duty as an alternative preferable to meeting as an equal the U. S. minister to Hayti (FRED. DOUGLASS) whom he had been ordered to transport thither. If this be true Commander KELLOGG should be promptly "fired" out of the service. The Secretary of the Navy denies that KELLOGG's request to be relieved was based on this ground. The alleged cause is that of the unsafe condition of the Ossipee's boilers. No man with an atom of sense will accept this statement as true. The Secretary must offer some other excuse for his recalcitrant subordinate. It is a clear case of an African in the fence, and the officer who has asked to be excused from fear of the Ossipee's boilers blowing up should be relegated to private life. But what of it, somebody asks. Is there anything extraordinary in this prejudice against the negro? We should say there was something in it, extraordinary ignorance strongly seasoned with bigotry. Military duty takes no cognizance of social forms. The man who cannot disassociate the prejudices of caste from the performance of his duties as a military man is as bigoted as the individual who cried out that the granting of civil rights to the negro implied the necessity of meeting him on a social equality. It will be said that the case of Commander KELLOGG, if true, is nothing, a sporadic case of prejudice merely, furnishing no criterion of popular sentiment. We cannot so regard it. The officer in question no doubt is a northern man, and connecting his action with the uncertain tone of the northern press, we are made aware of the direction the wind is blowing, which may rise to a gale and sweep away every vestige of the civil rights of the negro guaranteed by the constitution. But suppose it does; it is an immutable law that the weakest must go to the wall. The logic of this principle thus points irresistibly to the elimination, not alone of the African race in America as a political factor, but it conveys the idea that wherever the Caucasian goes the other races must pass into desuetude. Already two races have practically disappeared from North America. South America is destined to be inhabited and controlled by a pure-bred race before another century, and in the conquests of STANLEY we hear the funeral knell of the aboriginal tribes of Africa. There seems to be only one thing which will prevent the entire world from being dominated by Caucasian peoples, speaking the English tongue, and that is their disposition to shirk the parental relation. Large families are no longer the rule but the exception, and this in conjunction with the high pressure life which is the marked feature of the age, reproduction will scarcely be able to keep pace with mortality. It is possible though that civilization which has sprung up under republican institutions, will wake up to its shortcomings and settle down into methods compatible with a brilliant destiny. There is yet plenty of time, and teachers are not wanting to point out the methods to be pursued. This is an age of transposition, and although the pessimist sees through the glass darkly, he is scarcely warranted in abandoning hope. To recur to the race problem as it appears locally, it is pretty safe to say that unless the moral sense of the people undergoes an awakening the Wigginsses of human nature may safely prophecy for the African the fate of the Indian. The doctrine of "abolition" which eventuated in the freedom of the slave sprang from moral principle. Politics was incidental to it. Remove the moral bolster which teaches toleration and the universal brotherhood of man, and the negro becomes to his white "brother" a social and political pariah. Unless the spirit which inspired "Uncle Tom's Cabin" can be kept alive the weaker race must disappear as has the Indian.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Oregonian is the best editorial and best written paper on the Pacific coast; unfortunately it is the worst printed. The type is too small and too indistinct. What a pity that the mechanical should neutralize the intellectual.

Hudson's Bay is the hunting ground of numerous American whalers and sealers. The whales are plentiful and are easily caught. Nine of them fill a three hundred ton schooner. It is in the spring that the seals are captured. In order to get them some of the Americans winter at Marble Island, an island situated well within our district of Keewatin. Canadians will not grudge the Americans a few whales or seals. But really, if Behring Sea is a close sea, how can Hudson's Bay be open?

The heads of the Danish police have introduced a way of suppressing intemperance which is both simple and original. If a man is found drunk in the streets or at public places, a cab is hired and he is taken home. If he is too intoxicated to be communicated with, he is taken to a police station and kept till he is able to give his address, when he is taken home by cab. The publican who has given the last glass of drink to the victim is made responsible for the cab fares, which sometimes amount to a considerable sum.

JOHN BURNS is thirty years of age, and was born in Batterses, London. When he is not agitating in the streets he works as an engineer in HALL's press works in Southwark. He is a powerfully built man, with muscles of iron. He is five feet ten inches in height, broad-shouldered thick set and strong-limbed. His hair is as black as a negro's and he wears a grizzly beard and mustache. Hairs grow all over his cheeks, and stick out straight like bristles. He has a voice of tremendous power, which he has developed by bowling in the open air. No man ever addressed a crowd in London who has as powerful lungs as BURNS. He is a born demagogue, and he is successful in sowing discontent and planting the germs of revolution among the ignorant masses of the London workmen.

The success of the Icelanders as colonists in Manitoba has suggested that they should be induced to settle in Alaska also. As there are only about 60,000 native Alaskans in a territory as large as the whole of the United States east of the Mississippi and north of the Alabama line, there should be room enough for the whole population of Iceland, where less than 75,000 people are scattered over a country as large as Ireland. Alaska probably would be more attractive to them than Manitoba, as they are accustomed to live by fisheries rather than by raising wheat. No kind of grain has been grown in Iceland for more than 1000 years, with the exception of a few small patches sown recently by way of experiment. The first settlers probably did grow barley, if not wheat, as we read of the use of plows in the early Sagas.

We are not posted in electric street car matters, but we do know enough to know that there is such a thing as propelling a street car by electricity by using storage batteries on the trucks underneath the car. Whether this is a more expensive method of propelling a car than by the reception of the motive power from wires suspended on poles, we are unable to say. This much is certain, however, allowing that the storage batteries are the most expensive, they should be preferred to the system which is to be employed in Victoria, as less unsightly and less dangerous. Economy is desirable in municipal as well as in private affairs, but economy at the expense of unqualified deformity, particularly, in the case of Victoria which is a more than solvent corporation, is a dubious policy. We repeat, we are not speaking ex cathedra in this matter, but if storage batteries can be used, and thus do away with poles, which are both dangerous and unsightly, though the extra expense be $50,000, the city had better adopt them. Sooner or later storage batteries will be used, anyhow.

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When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
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DEAR SIR:

As E. CROW BAKER, Esq., M. P., has resigned his seat in the Dominion House of Commons, we, the undersigned electors of Victoria City and District, beg you to allow yourself to be placed in nomination as a candidate for the vacant seat.

We do this because we feel that at the present time it is imperative that Victoria should have the best man that can possibly be got to look after her interests; and as your business capacity, your large interests here, and your general fitness for the position, are so well known to us, we hereby pledge you our hearty support if an election is necessary.

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Frank Sylvester,	H Courtney,
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J J Bennett,	H Hansen,
A C Howe,	J H Collister,
John Carson,	Joseph Dwyer,
Wm F Wellmark,	James Ferguson,
H Seabrook,	Manroe Miller,
John Bain,	W H Snider,
D H Phillips,	J Hutcheson.

REPLY.

GENTLEMEN:—I thank you most heartily for your very numerously signed requisition asking me to allow myself to be placed in nomination as a candidate to represent you in the Dominion House of Commons, and also for your expressions of confidence as to my fitness for the position.

I have much pleasure in acceding to your request, and can assure you that if elected I will do my utmost in the interest of this constituency and Province, according to the present administration a generous but independent support.

I have the honor to be, gentlemen,
Your obedient servant,
THOMAS EARLE.

Victoria, September 25th, 1889.

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NEW WESTMINSTER

On Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, the 2nd, 3rd and 4th October, 1889.

Besides the Exhibition there will be additional attractions in the way of

Tournaments, Sports, Processions,

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75,000 Calcutta Grain Sacks,

HAND-SEWED,

Two Bushels each, in Bales of 1000,

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I beg to thank the public for past favors, and to solicit a share of its patronage in the future.

Orders left at 38 Government St.

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H. WARREN.

sep21-1m

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General Scavenger

Yards and Cesspools cleaned, Wells dug and cleaned. Contracts made for removing earth, etc. All orders left with J. Finlayson, grocer, corner of Government and Broughton streets, or Bond & Glassford, Yates street, will be promptly attended to. sep28 1y

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Ladies' and Misses Waterproofs in the new Russian and Princess shapes.
Full Assortment of Ladies' Fancy Check Electric Proof. OUR SPECIALTY price last year $2.90, this year $1.90.
New Stripe Fancy Tweed Waterproofs in Imperial Russian and Princess shapes.
New Prussian Silk Stripe, in Grey and Fawn and Black and White stripes; Russian and other shapes.
Girls Waterproofs, 29 to 48 inches. Strong and durable texture Tweeds, in Princess and Russian makes. Wonderful value.

UMBRELLAS.

Ten dozen 23 inch Brown Satin de Cheule and Twill Silk, with choice novelties in Plain and Mounted Handles. Price from $1.75 to $3.50 each. As this lot was bought at about half price they will be sold very cheap.

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J. HUTCHESON & CO.

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For the next week, if not sold before. For further particulars apply to

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THE STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

ANNUAL REPORT, 1889.

The sixty-thirdd Annual General Meeting of the Company was held at Edinburgh on Tuesday, the 23rd April 1889, T. GRAHAM MURRAY, Esq., LL.D., W.S., in the Chair.

AMOUNT PROPOSED FOR ASSURANCE during the year 1888 (3379 Proposals)	$9,125,554.00
AMOUNT OF ASSURANCES ACCEPTED during the year 1888 (for which 3072 Policies were issued)	$7,292,205.07
ANNUAL PREMIUMS on new Policies during the year 1888	$281,964 93
CLAIMS UNDER POLICIES during the year 1888, inclusive of Bonus Additions	$2,867,252.40
AMOUNT OF POLICIES ISSUED during the last five years	$21,313,145 60
SUBSISTING ASSURANCES at 15th November 1888 (of which $5,887,060.00 is Re-assured with other offices	$101,238,149.14

ACCUMULATED FUNDS, $34,619,283 27
ANNUAL REVENUE, $4,385,703.13

W. M. RAMSAY, Manager. THOMAS KERR, Inspector.

ROBERT WARD & CO., AGENTS.

sep28

NEW GOODS! -:- FALL TRADE!

JOHN WEILER

Has just received

BLANKETS, all grades and sizes; COMFORTERS, large assortment;
EIDER DOWN QUILTS; CURTAINS, Chenille, Turcoman, etc.;
CARPETS, latest productions; TABLE COVERS, tapestry, spun silk, etc;
PLUSHES AND UPHOLSTERY GOODS.
CROCKERY, new lines of printed ware; GLASSWARE, Table and Decorative;
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LARGEST SHOWROOMS IN BRITISH COLUMBIA.
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This property lies between Victoria and Esquimalt, being brought close to Victoria by the New Bridge across the Harbor. A most healthy and desirable situation for residences, command Magnificent Views of the Olympian Mountain Range and other fine scenery. There is an abundant supply of excellent water.

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Wear Longer, Fit Better, and Cost Less than any other in Victoria. No extra charge for making to measure.

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DISSOLUTION.

LUNDBERG & BECAR.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership existing between Carl A. Lundberg and Knud J. Becar, under the name and firm of Lundberg & Becar, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. All claims against the partnership may be filed with Messrs. Mason, Johnson & Helgesen, or with A. Helgesen, 8 Bastion Square, Victoria, solicitor for the undersigned.

KNUD J. BECAR.
CARL A. LUNDBERG.

Victoria, B. C., Sept. 23rd, 1889. sep24-1w

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NOTICE.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

BETWEEN

JOSEPH SOLOMITZ, Plaintiff,

AND

JAMES WARREN, Defendant.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AN Order has been made in the above entitled action, by the Hon. Sir Matthew B. Begbie, C.J., appointing James C. Provost Receiver of all the Estate and Effects of the above named defendant, to take possess and collect the personal estate, and to manage and carry on his business, and to restrain the defendant and all other persons from interfering with him as such Receiver.

JAMES C. PROVOST.

Dated, Victoria, February 13th, 1889. m16.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS against the Standard Newspaper Co. (Ld.), are requested to send in their claims. And all persons indebted to the said Company are requested to pay the same to

R. A. BROWN, Liquidator,
Standard Newspaper Co. (Ld.)

Victoria, B. C., 4th Sept. 1889. sep4

SAFES.

Buy the celebrated Goldie & McCulloch

SAFES AND VAULT DOORS

ROBT JAMIESON, Agent,
Next door to the Postoffice.

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A BY-LAW

To amend the "Water Commissioner By-Law, 1887."

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the "Water Commissioner By-Law, 1887:"

Be it therefore enacted by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. That section 4 of the said By-Law is hereby amended by striking out the words "one hundred and twenty-five dollars per month" in the third and fourth lines thereof and inserting in lieu thereof the words "one hundred and fifty dollars per month."

This By-law may be cited as the "Water Commissioner Amendment By-Law, 1889."

Passed the Municipal Council the 4th day of September, A. D. 1889.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 11th day of September, A. D. 1889.

(L. S.) JOHN GRANT,
Mayor.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.

B. C. PETTENGILL. J. I. HAYDEN
JAS. ORR, Sec.-Treas.

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Certificate of Incorporation.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, HEREBY CERtify that we desire to form, under the provisions of the Companies Act, 1878, (Provincial), and amending Acts, a Company as hereinafter mentioned.

1. The corporate name of the Company shall be "The Pacific Shoe and

CURIOUS COLLECTIONS.

CRAZE THAT WOMEN HAVE FOR GATHERING QUEER THINGS.

All Sorts of Objects Within the Scope of the Fad—Anything from Big Clocks to Old Fashion Plates—Old Candlesticks a Favorite Capture.

Nearly every one seems to have a mania for collecting something. With many persons it takes the form of collecting dollars, which gradually grow into houses and lots, and dollars continue to sprout from every brick in the house and from every square inch of the lot. These are lucky collectors.

There are other kinds of collectors, not less lucky, perhaps, but their collections remain what they were from the beginning, instead of being metamorphosed into other things. There are some men who save every letter or bill they receive, and keep copies of every letter they write. Such a collection is not appreciated by their heirs, it is almost needless to say. Almost as needless it is to say that every one collects some one thing, or, if they do not collect, they want to. Because they do not collect is no reason that they do not want to, but because they are unable so to for some reason or other.

Perhaps women are more given to this peculiar fad than men, and the reason for this may be that they are content to collect things of less value than men. Every now and then some woman will start a craze for collecting some one thing, and every woman who can afford to indulge in it will follow suit. The acquisition of fans is a mania of long standing and a very expensive one. Fans of all countries and dates, big and little, historic and otherwise, form the collection of many a woman, who gloats over them as a miser does over his gold. Another woman collects shawls, and has as many as eight India shawls, besides innumerable others of silk, crepe de chine and lace. The India shawls require great care to keep them free from moths; and as the possessor of them never wears them—for they are not intended to be worn, but only looked at occasionally—they must be taken out, aired and shaken several times a year. But even with this careful treatment they are often corrupted by moths.

One girl's whole soul is devoted to collecting the fashion plates, old and new. She haunts the second hand book shops, buying up old fashion magazines and newspapers, besides subscribing for several new ones. She has already her large scrapbooks filled with colored plates, and an interesting collection it is, showing the various stages of folly and fashion through which women have passed during the past hundred years or more. Another girl is collecting pitchers of all metals, sizes and descriptions. She has already fifty of them, some hideous and some truly beautiful. They are tall and slender, of Venetian glass, and of Doulton, Royal Worcester, Dresden and Sevres china. She has some quaint silver pitchers picked up in bric-a-brac shops, some of American cut glass, others of earthenware and pewter. Several are of Japanese china, and are very grotesque, almost startling. They are arranged on shelves and in cabinets, and are more decorative, and therefore more enjoyable, perhaps, than the fashion plates.

The candlestick fad is not a new one, but it has obtained a strong hold upon the affections of many women, who began their collection with a pair of silver candelabra that belonged to some ancestor. Starting with this, they have made a large collection of silver, brass, bronze, china and glass candlesticks, some in pairs and some singly. Trips to Europe have been made for the express purpose of finding some quaint specimen in out of the way towns, and bric-a-brac shops have been searched both in Europe and America. Something with a history is always desired by these insatiate collectors, but at the same time they do not despise modern things that may be bought at first hand. Classed with the candlestick mania is the mania for fairy lamps, one girl possessing thirty-eight lamps of this kind, each one different from the other.

These are arranged in her cozy parlor on tables, shelves, mantel and cabinet, and when lighted the effect is fascinating. This girl likes to have something to show for her money, and has no intention of hiding her lights away under bushels, which, translated into modern English, means that she will not collect fans or shawls, or anything else that must be kept in chests, closets, or dark cabinets.

Scent bottles of all sizes and shapes represent another collection, and make an interesting collector. Some of these are quaint and curious indeed. Of silver and gold, most of them, and antique, with strange histories, European shops and châteaux have been ransacked to find them. Of grotesque or artistic form, and studded with jewels, these tiny relics of the past look as if they might tell many a romantic tale if they could but speak. Perhaps, in some instances, they carried deadly poisons, instead of sweet smelling spices, for the purpose of injuring some hated rival. Or may they have been filled with some potent love philter? If they could but tells us how it worked!

The cup and saucer mania has passed away, but it left behind it a mania for collecting spoons. This fad is a strong one, and is within the reach of all. The spoony girl is found everywhere, and talks incessantly of her spoons. They are not collected by the dozen, but by the piece, as it were; that is, they are bought one at a time, and, of course, as in other collections, no two are alike. They are large and small, antique and modern, plain, engraved, repousse, and of gold, silver, aluminum, ivory, glass and wood. There is the tiny salt spoon that belonged to some ancestor, and the slender teaspoon of a century ago; the Russian spoon of today, gilt and enameled; an Apostle spoon is much sought, as are the French spoons of the Eighteenth century. Ladies and gravy spoons, along with mustard and salad spoons, are eagerly bought; the plan of the spoony girl being to buy a spoon in every city or town she visits.—New York Star.

A commercial traveller, since the elevation of Bishop Walsh, of London, to the Archiepiscopic of Toronto, is reminded of an occurrence some years ago in a railway car, in which his lordship took part. An irreverent traveler asked Bishop Walsh, probably not knowing who he was, if he had not heard that in Paris as often as a priest was hanged a donkey was hanged at the same time. The proposed victim of the joker replied in the blandest possible manner. "Well, then let us both be thankful we are not in Paris."

A fly lay bleeding and wet with gore,
Crushed on the bald man's head.
But in dying he spring this ghastly joke,
"I'm mashed on you," he said.

The trial of the Earl of Galloway, who is charged with having criminally assaulted several children, has been fixed for October 1st. A select court will try him.

The Catholic primate of Armagh has announced that the Pope will probably leave Rome shortly. The primate deplores the lack of reverence for religion in Ireland.

London postal clerks held two large meetings yesterday and formally protested against the rate of pay they are receiving and the treatment of their demands by the secretary.

CITY AND PROVINCE.

It could be a grave injustice to confound that standard healing agent—Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil—with the ordinary nostrums, lotions and salves. They are oftentimes inflammatory and astringent. This oil is, on the contrary, eminently cooling and soothing when applied externally to relieve pain, and powerfully remedial when swallowed.

Mrs. R. H. Pockins, Creek Centre, Warren county, N. Y., writes: "She has been troubled with asthma for four years, had to sit up night after night with it. She has taken two bottles of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil and is perfectly cured. She strongly recommends it, and wishes to act as agent among her neighbors."

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Spratt & Gray, sole agents for this celebrated cylinder and machine oil. A supply constantly kept on hand.

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Choice Lots in the

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FRUIT,

Poultry and Game Salesmen,

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CROGHAN & JONES BEG TO RETURN thanks to the inhabitants of Victoria and surrounding districts for their kind patronage during the short time they have been in business, and hope by strict attention and reasonable prices to still merit a share of their custom. Thanking you for past favors, we remain,

Yours, etc.,
CROGHAN & JONES.

Fresh Butter, Poultry an l Eggs daily. Game in season, always on hand. sep5

IN THE SUPREME COURT
OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Between Noel J. Becar, Plaintiff, and Carl A. Lundberg, Defendant.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT BY AN order of the Honorable Mr. Justice Crease made in this action this thirtieth day of September, A. D., 1889. I have been appointed to receive all rents and profits of the real and leasehold estates; and to get in the outstanding personal estate of the late Sam of Lundberg deceased.

Dated the 30th day of September, A. D. 1889.
MORRIS MOSS,
Receiver.
sep30-1w

MR. S. C. BURRIS,

ARCHITECT.

HAS REMOVED TO COR YATES and Quadra streets, where he may be consulted until the works now on hand are finished. sep7-1m

MRS. A. J. CLYDE

HAS OPENED

Dress and Mantle Making Parlors

OVER VICTORIA HOUSE, DENNY'S BLOCK,

Where she is prepared to fill orders in all the latest and most fashionable styles.

Dresses Cut by Rood's Magic Scale,
Which guarantees a perfect fit.

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MRS. ABBOTT,

Late of San Francisco.

DRESS-MAKING ROOMS,

NO. 93 VIEW STREET.

The only glove-fitting system used. Satisfaction guaranteed. sep25-1m

FULL WEIGHT PURE

DR. PRICE'S CREAM BAKING POWDER

MOST PERFECT MADE.

DR. PRICE'S DELICIOUS FLAVORING EXTRACTS

NATURAL FRUIT FLAVORS

Used by the United States Government. Endorsed by the heads of the Great Universities and Public Food Analysts, as the Strongest, Purest and most Healthful. Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder does not contain Ammonia, Lime or Alum. Dr. Price's Delicious Flavoring Extracts, Vanilla, Lemon, Almond, Rose, etc., do not contain Poisonous Oils or Chemicals.

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WHOLESALE

DRY GOODS,

VICTORIA.

Sole Agents for Westminster Woollen Mills.
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NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!

R. J. MATTHEWS,

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Has received a splendid new stock of Tweeds, Chinchillas, and other goods

FINE ASSORTMENT OF PANTINGS.

Call and examine. No trouble to show goods. Business and Dress Suits made on shortest notice. All work guaranteed as fit and workmanship.

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NUBIAN WATERPROOF DRESSING

IS ENTIRELY FREE FROM ACID,

Will not Rub Off, Soil the Clothing, nor Injure the Leather.

It produces without brushing a beautiful Waterproof Polish. To be had only at the

People's Shoe Store,

103 Government St.

JNO. FULLERTON.
aug13

NEW FALL GOODS

JUST ARRIVED AT

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TUITION.

MRS. GEO. WISE,

THE INVENTOR OF THE

CHEMICAL PAINTING,

WILL TEACH THIS ART IN SIX LESSONS. Terms moderate. Apply at No. 200 Johnson street. sep11-2w

PRACTICAL LESSONS

IN

Cutting and Fitting.

For further particulars apply Monday, Wednesday and Friday, from 2 to 7 p. m., to

Mrs. E. M. MEISS,
aug29-1m 25 PANDORA STREET.

NIGHT SCHOOL.

NIGHT SCHOOL BY AN EXPERIENCED teacher. Terms reasonable. 76 Yates St., room No. 1. Hours 7 p.m. to 9:30 p.m.

H. SIDDALL, M. A.
sep20-1m

DANCING ACADEMY.

MRS. EDWARD DICKINSON'S DANCING class for young people will reopen Saturday October 5th next at Harmonr Hall, View street, at 2 p.m. Private classes formed when desired. Also private lessons given. sep15-1m

DANCING :-: ACADEMY

STELLY'S HALL,

corner of Johnson and Blanchard streets,

W. ELLIS BULL

(Successor to Bull & Pearce).

Classes—Monday and Friday at 8 p. m.

PRIVATE LESSONS GIVEN

Afternoon or evening.

Hall to let for Balls or Parties. sep21

PRIVATE LESSONS.

MRS. ROUTLEDGE, (late of the Institute Bolle—Chabloiz, Switzerland) will receive lady pupils to learn the French and German languages, from 10 till 12 a. m., and from 2 till 4 p. m., daily except Saturdays.

Address:

ROUTLEDGE'S INSTITUTE,
sep5-2m 178 Yates Street.

CAME TO THE PREMISES.

A BLACK ROAR PIG. OWNER CAN HAVE it by proving property, and paying for this advertisement and other expenses. If not claimed within two weeks will be sold to pay expenses.

J. W. TOLMIE.
Cloverdale, September 13. sep13-2w

MISCELLANEOUS NOTICES.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS ARE WARNED AGAINST trespassing on Clovordale Farm.

J. W. TOLMIE.
aug31-2w

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE undersigned up to Tuesday, 1st October, at noon, for the erection and completion of ten (10) two-storey frame residences, together with outhouses, fences, etc., on lots facing Douglas and Rae streets and Cheapside.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted

JNO. TEAGUE,
sep11-td Architect.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE undersigned up to Saturday, 21st instant, at noon, for the erection of two-storey residence facing southeast corner of Vancouver and Ballet streets.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JNO. TEAGUE,
sep11-td Architect.

TENDERS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP TO 4 o'clock on the 17th inst., for the erection of a two-storey frame dwelling house in Victoria West.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of W. H. Wilson, architect.

JOHN W. COBURN.
sep10-td

NOTICE.

JOHN W. KELLER AND S. C. BURRIS have this day entered into partnership for the purpose of manufacturing and dealing in Sewer Pipe, Tile, Terra Cotta, and other clay wares.

Office, cor. Yates and Quadra Sts.

Pottery Works, Constance Cove Road, Victoria West.

J. W. KELLER,
S. C. BURRIS.
sep9-1m

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED will not be responsible for any debts contracted in his name without his written order after 30th June.

THOMAS MATHEWS
June 20. Victoria, B. C.

STRAYED.

A BLACK HORSE WITH WHITE FACE and two white feet has come to the premises of the undersigned. The owner can have the same on applying and paying expenses.

W. PALES,
sep27-1w Esquimalt.

NOTICE.

The Esquimalt & Nanaimo R'y Co.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE annual general meeting of the shareholders of this Company will be held at the office of the Company at Victoria on Wednesday, the second of October next at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Victoria, 31st August, 1889. Secretary. aug31

NOTICE.

Union Colliery Company of B. C.

(Limited Liability.)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE annual general meeting of the shareholders of this Company will be held at the office of the Company at Victoria on Wednesday, the second day of October next at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Victoria, 31st August 1889. Secretary. aug31

FOR SALE OR TO LET.

FARM FOR SALE.

ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY ACRES GOOD land, nine cleared and five sown down in grass, half an acre of an orchard, stock, crop and implements. In Cowichan district, and within three miles of McPherson's station, with a good road to it. Apply to

D. STEWART, on the premises.
Or address McPherson's P.O., E. & N.R. sep28

FOR SALE.

A VERY DESIRABLE FARM of 200 acres in Cowichan District, 3½ miles from E. & N. R.R. Forty acres in cultivation. Orchard of upwards of 50 bearing fruit trees. Good garden, well stocked with small fruits. Twenty head of cattle, team, wagon, harness, etc. Address, "Z." The Times, Victoria.

TO RENT.

TO RENT.—A NEW HOUSE, JUST COMpleted. Apply to either T. W. Pierre, 23 Pioneer street, or at the building, corner of Bridge and Henry streets. Rock Bay. aug31

FOR SALE.

HAVE FOR SALE SEVERAL RAM LAMBS (Norfolk Nowns) (sires imported from England, 1888). Apply to

H. SIMPSON,
sep14-1m South Saanich.

HOUSE TO LET.

AT ROCK BAY.—APPLY AT No. 22 PIONEER street. Will also have a new building to let in a few weeks. 2p10

FOR SALE.

HOUSE AND LOT

(Full Size)

No. 34 First Street, Work Estate.

Price $1,050 Cash.

APPLY TO BOURCHIER & HIGGINS
aug5

FOR SALE

Handsome Sideboard and Show Case

WITH 73 STUFFED NATIVE BIRDS.

It stands 9 feet high x5½x2. Show case 5½x4. Fitted up with mirrors and made of the best Black Walnut.

Price $395.

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Specifications can be seen at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa, and at the office of F. C. Gamble, Esq., Victoria, B. C., on and after Monday, 23rd September, 1889, and tenders will not be considered unless made on forms supplied and signed with actual signatures of tenderers.

An accepted bank cheque payable to the order of the Minister of Public Works, equal to five per cent. of amount of tender, must accompany each tender. This cheque will be forfeited if the party decline the contract, or fail to complete the work contracted for, and will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

The Department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,

A. GOBEIL,
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Department of Public Works, Ottawa, 19th Sept., 1889. sep25

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D. FERERAS.
August 22nd, 1889. aug22-1m

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described tract of land situate in the Rupert district commencing at a post on the 50th parallel of north latitude, 12 miles west of Discovery Passage, thence west 5 miles; thence north 3½ miles; thence east 5½ miles, more or less, to the western boundary of Messrs. Ross & McLaren's timber limit; thence south ¼ mile; thence west 1 mile; thence south 3 miles to the place of commencement. Containing 11,520 acres, more or less.

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For Plumper Pass Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock.

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News of the City and Province Briefly Told.

—Ice Cream at Steits's.

—Artistic enlarged portraits, Fleming's, Government street.

—Zylonite collars and cuffs at Daley's, 111 Government street.

—A new propeller for the Islander was trucked down to Esquimalt to-day.

—About 15,000 cases more of salmon will complete the bark J. H. Hustede's cargo.

—C Battery band went up to New Westminster this morning on the Yosemite.

—The City of Puebla sails from San Francisco to-morrow on a record-breaking trip.

—New designs in dinner and toilet-ware, glassware, lamps, etc., at John Weiler's.

—H. M. S. Amphion and Champion were out to-day in the straits target firing for prizes.

—The steamer Princess Louise will replace the R P. Rithet on the Fraser river route.

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—Parlor suites, lounges and easy chairs in endless variety at Hastie & Lockhart's, 62 Government street.

—Large stock of new style carpets, curtains, table covers and plushes just received at John Weiler's.

—Coal is delivered on short notice from the Rock Bay Coal Yard, A. Heathorn, agent, 53½ Johnson street.

—Campbell & Simpkins, No. 88 Government street, have received their fall goods. Go and see for yourselves.

—Another carload of stoves just arrived for us. A fine selection of heaters at McLennan & McFeely's, 70 Yates St.

—John T. Pierre has received his first shipment of fall and winter goods. Go and see them at No. 96 Yates street. Im

—The "Ideal Washing Machine." Best in the market. Beat on approbation. Price $10 at McLennan & McFeely's.

—Three racers were taken up to New Westminster on the Rithet Monday night—Mayflower, Telephone and Dart.

—Mr. Jas. Tolmie, M.P.P., of Cloverdale, has sent up to the New Westminster agricultural exhibition some fine live stock.

—The public schools opened at 9:30 this morning and closed at 3 in the afternoon in accordance with the fall and winter rule.

—A loan by law to authorize the mayor and aldermen of Nanaimo to borrow $12,000 was negatived yesterday by a vote of 64 to 46.

—Boring operations for coal have been commenced in the Sumas mountain. The sample from the bed bored is of very good quality.

—Upholstery worth seeing at Hastie & Lockhart's; and the prices worth enquiring into before purchasing elsewhere. 62 Government street.

—Twenty-eight dozen French corsets, P. D. style, long, $1.25 to $2.75. Satin corsets, $2.75. Argyle House, Clarence block, Douglas street.

—A sickly-looking drunk amused the passers-by on Government this afternoon by parading up and down with a green paddle hung over his shoulder.

—Sideboards, hall racks, bedroom suites, carpets, mattings, &c., will be slaughtered for the next 30 days at Hastie & Lockhart's, 62 Government street.

—A requisition has been circulated in New Westminster asking Mayor Townsend to call a public meeting for Tuesday evening, October 8th, to discuss local politics.

—Largest stock of antique bedroom furniture, parlor suites and odd pieces, reed rockers, upholstery goods and house furnishings in the province at John Weiler's, 51 to 55 Fort street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Watson, having concluded to give up the positions of steward and matron, which they held at the Nanaimo hospital for nearly two years, sent in their resignation yesterday.

—Profs. Loseby and Sharpe are making arrangements for a concert at Port Townsend. The good people of the port of entry can be sure of a first-class entertainment should these well-known artists visit them.

—Mayor Townsend, of New Westminster, has proclaimed Thursday, October 3rd, a civic holiday. It is expected the schools will be closed on both Thursday and Friday to allow the children to enjoy the fun.

—*Columbian:* Dead humpback salmon in countless numbers line the banks of the Fraser river between Chilliwhack and the mouth of the Harrison river. The odors arising from the decayed fish are very offensive.

—Don't let anyone convince you that Hastie & Lockhart have not the finest line of goods, and at prices equally as fine, until you have made a personal examination for yourselves. No. 62 Government street.

—A hunting yarn which has just leaked out is to the effect that two young men while out hunting last Saturday got lost. They finally found themselves near Prospect Lake, after a long tramp, with their hearts in their mouths.

—Among the live stock shipped by the Yosemite to New Westminster this morning for exhibition purposes were Jas. R. Tolmie's Devonshire bull, Simpson's prize stallion, and a pair of draught horses belonging to W. H. Forrest.

—The annual exhibition of the Delta Agricultural Society is being held to-day at Ladner's Landing. There are over three hundred entries, and the harvest this year has been a fair one. One thousand dollars have been raised to distribute as prizes.

—The shipments of coal in the Nanaimo and Comox districts for September were as follows: Vancouver Coal Co., 7744 tons; Dunsmuir & Sons, 19,941 tons; East Wellington Coal Co., 4774 tons; Union Colliery Co, 2450 tons; making a total of 34,90 9 ons.

Customs.

The following are the collections at Nanaimo for September:

Import duty	$3,232 21
Copyright	5 50
Sick M. dues	250 00
Petro'eum inspection	25 00
Miscellaneous	3 20
Total	$3,516 91

From the Fraser River.

The steamer R. P. Rithet arrived from New Westminster at 3 o'clock this afternoon, having been delayed at English's cannery by the high wind which prevailed until 9 o'clock this morning. The Rithet left the outer wharf, where she took on 500 cases tin for English's cannery at 11 o'clock yesterday, and owing to numerous stops on the Fraser, she did not reach Westminster until 12 o'clock last night. She brought down to-day 700 cases salmon from Ben Young's cannery and 900 cases from Drysdale's, besides a quantity of other freight.

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For the South.

The Umatilla sailed for San Francisco at one o'clock this afternoon with the following passengers from this port: Rev. George H. Morden, Mrs. Lenthall, G. Flood, W. E. Von Johannsen and several in the steerage.

Comus Club.

The popular Comus club was re organized at a meeting of the members held last evening, Mr. E. E. Blackwood being elected president and Mr. S. Somerville as secretary-treasurer. The club will hold its first meeting some time this month.

New Freight Rates.

The new trans continental freight rate comes into force to-day. There are many changes, the most important being the rate on coal oil, which will have the effect of raising the price five cents a gallon. Rates on some other goods are also slightly raised.

The Standard Life Assurance Co.

have already declared Bonus Additions to their policies to the amount of more than twenty-two million dollars ($22,000,000). The next division of profits will be made 15th Nov., 1890, and all policies taken out now will receive *two years* Bonus on that occasion. Robert Ward & Co., agents.

The Yosemite.

The Yosemite had a difficult time in getting away from the wharf this morning for New Westminster, owing to the high wind striking her on the side. In her efforts a line was snapped, but she finally left about half-past eight and will return this evening with all possible dispatch. Capt. Rudlin went up in command.

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Funds invested in Canada, $4,500,000. Funds deposited in Ottawa with government for Canadian policy holders, $1,180,000. Robt. Ward & Co., agents.

Washout on the C. P. R.

A telegram received this afternoon stated that a heavy washout had occurred on the C. P. R. at the Coquitlam River, and that the Yosemite would go up to Port Hammond to receive the passengers. In consequence of this delay it was not known whether she could return in time to leave to-morrow morning.

A Good Record.

During the two years which Chief Engineer Deasy has filled that position, only two buildings have been completely destroyed by fire. This is certainly a good record, and speaks well for the efficiency of the Victoria fire department. With the improvements contemplated, the department will be very much improved.

Opera House Furnishings.

The contract for the interior furnishings of John Mahrer's new opera house at Nanaimo has been awarded to John Weiler of this city. In connection with the theatre, in the same building is an hotel of thirty rooms, which Mr. Weiler will also furnish. The price is several thousand dollars and the furnishings will be both tasteful and substantial.

A Fine Record.

Following is the record of the public library for September: Books lent to ladies, 526; books lent to gentlemen, 808; total lent, 1334. Novels lent to ladies, 378; novels lent to gentlemen, 455. Books, not novels, lent to ladies, 148; books, not novels, lent to gentlemen, 553. Total number of readers, 672. Increase over last month, 97. Daily average, 53.

Customs Collections.

The collections at Victoria for the month ending September 30th, 1889, were as follows:—

Duties	$77,548.77
Miscellaneous	714.07
	$78,262.84
Amount collected Sept. 1888	61,318.43
Increase	$17,944.41

Mishap to the Islander.

The steamer Islander, Capt. Rudlin, started for Vancouver at the usual hour this morning in the face of a high wind. When going out of the harbor, and in the vicinity of Hospital Point, something ran foul of the propellers and one was broken. The steamer was headed around and brought to the wharf. This afternoon the steamer was put in the dry dock for repairs.

Real Estate.

The property on the northeast corner of Fort and Quadra streets, comprising a full lot and two residences, has been purchased by Mrs. Jones, of Chico, Cala., for the sum of $4000.

Mr. Edwin White has disposed of his grounds and residence on Yates street, next to the public school grounds, to the present resident, Hon. Amor DeCosmos. The consideration was $4,500.

These Caricatures.

Mr. Chas. Hayward was the purchaser of last night's caricature entitled, "How long will she float," representing the government of Robson & Co. The caricature of Mr. Gardner was purchased by Ald. Goodacre. "Perfectly impartial, you know," went to H. A. Munn. The silhouette of Willis Boad was parted with for a trifle, the purchaser being Mr. Brocklesby.

Land Slide.

The heavy rains that have fallen during the past few days has caused a heavy land slide near the Chemainus saw mills, and almost buried the engine, leaving three feet of sand underneath the mills, besides washing away about 800 feet of the flume. It is estimated the cost of repairs will reach $600. All the hands have been paid off and the company will not start the mill again until the first of January.

Last Night's Storm.

One of the most terrific gales which has visited this part of the coast for two or three years swept over the city this morning. When the gale was at its height, between three and four o'clock, houses trembled and creaked in a manner that made nervous people apprehensive, and it was expected serious damage would result. No serious damage to shipping has yet been reported but it would not be surprising if a number of disasters were heard of.

Birthday Party.

A party of about twenty-five friends and relatives gathered at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas, Second street, on Saturday evening to celebrate the birthday of their son Arthur. A very pleasant evening was had, music and singing being a feature of the evening's amusement which was terminated by a bountiful supper. Rev. Mr. Baer, who was among those present, made a few remarks which were most appropriate to the occasion.

Partnership Policies.

The Standard Life Insurance Company issues policies at low rates, payable on the death of the first.

Several large firms in the Eastern cities have adopted this plan of Assurance. Also joint policies on husband and wife. Ask for rates.

ROBT. WARD & Co., Agents.
THOMAS KERR, Inspector.

Prompt payment, large bonuses, and square dealing, is the motto of the Standard Life Assurance Company. ROBT. WARD & Co., Agents for B. C. THOMAS KERR, Inspector.

Curious Embalming.

The bark Harry Morse arrived at San Francisco from the Kodiak Island Salmon Cannery last week with two salted Chinamen on board. One was an elderly heathen who died from natural causes, and the other had committed suicide by hanging because he lost all his wages in gambling. The bodies were disembowled and filled with salt, and then packed in rock salt in zinc cases. The canning company's contract with the Chinese employees requires it to restore their remains to their friends in San Francisco in the event of death in the north.

SEALERS' HARDSHIPS.

Fearful Experience of Two of the Crew of the Mary Ellen.

Captain Ball, of San Francisco, who went north as mate of the sealing schooner San Diego, left his vessel and took passage home on the Edward E. Webster. A *Chronicle* reporter saw the captain on his return last Thursday. He related a thrilling story of the adventures of two men who were lost from the Victoria sealing schooner Mary Ellen. The mate and cook of the vessel went out in a small boat to hunt seals. They went further away from their vessel than they had intended. A fog came up and shut out the schooner from their sight. They had no apprehensions, however, and pulled cheerfully away in the direction in which they thought the vessel was lying. They shouted to those on board the Mary Ellen, but no response came. They continued rowing and shouting until night finally closed in and yet no sign of their vessel appeared. All night long they watched and waited for the coming dawn, but when the morning broke bright and clear there was nothing to be seen but water all around them. Through seven days of blistering heat and seven nights of intense cold the little craft was tossed about by the waves. The men had nothing to live upon but seal meat, and their tongues and throats were parched with thirst, their scanty supply of water having given out on the first day. At length, when overcome by weakness and fatigue, they had sunk into the bottom of their little boat to die, they were picked up by the local seal hunters in Marbove Bay. "Their sufferings must have been intense," said Captain Ball. "I have been out for three days and nights myself, and have had a taste of it. The hunters brought them to our vessel, the San Diego. They were in a most pitiable condition when they reached us. We left them at Ounalaska, whence they will be brought to this city."

The Mary Ellen, Capt. Alex. McLean, which has been out all summer, is now on her way to San Francisco, having, it is said, captured 2,900 seals during the season. Two Indians were also picked up in an open boat and placed on the Dora, to be brought to San Francisco. The Indians were seal hunters who had been lost from their vessel.

DROWNED BEYOND DOUBT.

Hugh Sowden of Nanaimo Drowned Beyond Doubt.

The rescuing party under the leadership of Walter Ross, who went out on Saturday afternoon to search for the body of Hugh Sowden, says the Nanaimo *Free Press*, returned Sunday night. The facts of the case as stated by the party are, that Hugh Sowden, Marshall, Dixon, and Sabiston, left the camp at 6:30 a. m., to go shooting, and took two dogs with them; they had been away half the day when they discovered they had taken no lunch with them, and decided to return to the camp for dinner. It was then the fatal accident occurred. The boat, which was far too small for the party, capsized, precipitating them all in the water. By the accounts of Dixon and Marshall, they must have been in the water an hour when Sowden left them, but none of the party saw him go down; they were about fifty yards from the shore when they saw Sowden leave the boat to swim to shore, and he had not left a few minutes when they missed him. They state he could not have made the shore, and beyond doubt he sank below the surface. He had complained that he was numbed some time before. The others reached the shore in an almost unconscious condition. Marshall and Dixon, made their way to the camp, arriving there at 6:30 p. m. As they brought no account of Sabiston, J. Hardy H. Harold and V. Stewart concluded to set out in search of him, so they left the camp immediately, taking with them a pit lamp and after wandering about two hours through the bush, they discovered Sabiston, lying on the grass in a highly delirious condition, and foaming at the mouth. The buried him back to camp as quickly as possible, and succeeded in bringing him back to consciousness; but he could not tell them anything about the accident. They left a man named Thompson out at the lake yesterday and sent out another man this morning, to drag the lake for the body.

FIRE ALARM.

The New Fire Alarm System to be Completed October 30th.

This city will very shortly have an improved fire alarm system, as the old and unreliable telephone calls often causing confusion, and great loss of time to the fire department, are to be superseded in a few weeks by the Gamewell fire alarm system, which is more extensively in use on this continent than any other. The contract for putting in this system was awarded to the California Electric Co., of San Francisco, and every thing is to completed and in good working order by the 31st inst. A short description of the system may not prove uninteresting. The fire alarm boxes will be placed on the city electric light poles, and a key to each box will be left in a house on each corner near which the box is situated, and the police and firemen will each have a key as well. When the alarm box is opened and an alarm is to be turned in, a rod is pulled down, and as it flies back to its former position the number of the box will be struck three times on the Tiger bell, and on all the gongs in the different engine houses, the chief's house, and the hose house in the firemen, and thus the alarm is instantly conveyed to the whole fire department corps. Besides this, above each gong in the engine house, there is an indicator showing the exact location of the box from which the alarm is sent in, so that one glance is sufficient to tell the location of the fire. When the key is placed in the alarm boxes it cannot be taken out by any person except the chief, and this affords a pretty safe check against false alarms being sent in, as the person sending in the alarm can easily be traced. After a fire, for instance, an alarm has been turned in; the key remains in the box, and stays there until the chief makes an inspection and closes the box and ascertains by whom the alarm was sent in. When the gong is struck the horses are unhitched from the stalls by the same stroke, and by the time the firemen appear, are in their place under the harness. Altogether it will be an admirable system and one which is much needed. There will be twenty-eight fire alarm boxes, distributed over the city as follows: Corner Government and Fort streets; corner of Government and Johnson; corner Wharf and Yates; central fire hall; No. 3 fire hall; corner Douglas and Discovery; corner Douglas and Humboldt; corner Blanchard and View; corner Blanchard avenue and Cathcart; corner Pandora and Quadra; corner Fort and Quadra; corner Vancouver and Burdette avenue; corner Cook and Yates; corner Cook and Chatham; Spring Ridge; corner Yates and Moss; corner Humboldt avenue and Park Road.

JAMES HAY.

Corner Birdcage Walk and Superior street; corner Simcoe and Menzies; corner Duke and Oswego; corner Oswego and Michigan; corner Montreal and Kingston; corner Bridge and John; intersection Government and Douglas; corner Kings road and Second; corner St. Lawrence and Niagara.

The new system when completed will cost $6400, and new boxes will be placed in different parts of the city, as necessity demands.

Its Excellent Qualities

Commend to public approval the California liquid fruit remedy Syrup of Figs. It is pleasing to the eye and to the taste, and by gently acting on the kidneys, liver and bowels it cleanses the system effectually, thereby promoting the health and comfort of all who use it.

Dr. Chase's Pile Ointment.

Instantly relieves and permanently cures piles, pruritus and all hot and itching sores and eruptions. Price $1, of druggists. d&w

THE SPECIAL TAX.

Case Before the Supreme Court Decided Against the City.

The case of the Attorney-General of British Columbia vs. the corporation of the city of Victoria, came up in the Supreme Court yesterday before Chief Justice Begbie.

This was an action to recover the sum of $5,780, being one-third of the amount of the teachers' salaries in the public schools of Victoria, charged against the said corporation under the provisions of the "Public Schools Amendment Act, 1888." Mr. Eberts (Eberts & Taylor) who appeared for the corporation, contended that the act created a discriminative tax and was therefore unconstitutional. His Lordship ruled, however, that the tax was a just one and the case admitted of no defence. Judgment was accordingly given in favor of the provincial government. The decision is not final, the proceedings of yesterday being a preliminary step in the contesting of the case by the corporation. The case will be appealed.

A gentleman connected with the corporation being asked what he thought of the matter said: If the legislature can legally impose upon the City of Victoria a special tax of near $6000, there is nothing to prevent an imposition of ten times that sum. Does any right thinking man imagine for one moment that the courts would sanction an injustice of so unfair a character? The legislature could with just as much reason exempt from the operation of the provincial tax all that part of this province lying north of 51 degress north latitude as the residents of that portion of British Columbia are not as rich as those that live south of that line. The principal argument advanced in defense by the government during the discussion that took place when the Bill was before the legislature was that inasmuch as the cities were more wealthy than the rural districts it was right that they should be called upon to pay an extra contribution for school purposes.

Passengers Arriving.

Per steamer North Pacific from the Sound.—Mrs Andrews, Mrs Evans, Mrs Billings, T J Murray and wife, Miss Vanhook, N Howe, T S Symes, M Shrelle, J Bellmer, W L Cox, J McGuire, F M Rosh, T Shaw and wife, Miss Goodhue, Miss Evans, Mrs Lock, E J Dewitt, Miss Price, R T Ward, Mrs Weiler and daughter, J L Evans, D W Pauley, O Leclair, C H Wethers, J F Mahon, J Thompson, Mrs Nichols, Dr Cox, Mrs Phillips, H H Elliott, J Price and wife, Dr Pringle, D Nixon, R Cowgill, F Bonin, J Hilmer, J Hastings, T H Perry, Mrs Ryder, J A Lancaster and wife, J Motson, Mrs Parks, Mrs Whitmore, Miss Whitmore, J E Brewer and wife, J Brown, R C Moore, A Gallinger, J E O'Connor, O A Nert, C D Clawson and wife, H Long, F Lawson, A Aronson, W McDonald, D Strand, Mrs Sheffield, Mrs Woodworth, B Shea, F Hendricks and son, H H Wheeler and wife, J Dabourne, R H Laflin and wife, 25 Indians, C K Kelly, Farndollar, W. Ferguson, C H Miller, A Peterys, J G Anderson, E H Morrison, H Edwards and wife, A M Harland, E White, E Marcus, P Brivo, J O Carew, T H Hamilton, J W Martin, 2 Sangster, 30 Indian women, J F Brewster, Chinaman, A Nagle, Mrs Nagle, A Hemphel, W A McCoy, A Soubi, D Matson.

Consignees.

Per steamer North Pacific from the Sound—Braden & Son, S J Pitts, Angus & Gordon, S Leiser, J Sangster.

Per steamer Rithet from New Westminster—Mr and Mrs Bullow, Mrs Parson and child, Mr and Mrs Jack, Mr and Mrs Gordon and servant, R Gordon, M M Kaguish, W M Jones, C M Brooks & Nelson, C G Major, Jas Cowan, R E Brown, S Lawson, Rev. H. Irwine, T L Littlefield, W N Steves, Williams, C Long, J Bernardstein.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

KOM WO TAI.

Assignment for the benefit of Creditors.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTE 51 VIC., Chap. 13, entitled the "Trustees and Executors' Act," Notice is hereby given that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Ong Schong, trading as Kom Wo Tai, General Merchant, at Lillooet, British Columbia, are hereby required to send particulars thereof in writing to the undersigned, on or before the 12th day of December, A.D. 1889, after which day the Trustees will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims and demands of which they shall have had notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof distributed to any person or persons of whose debts, claims and demands they shall not have had notice.

Dated this 1st day of October, A.D. 1889.

EBERTS & TAYLOR
Solicitors for the Trustees.
Moritz Strouss and Dong Tai.
oct1-tf Victoria, B. C.

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TORONTO'S GREAT HUMORIST,
Caricaturist and Cartoonist, Editor and Artist of "GRIP," will give one more of his
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VICTORIA THEATRE,
Friday Evening, October 4th.
SUBJECT:
Caricature the Funny Art.
Fully illustrated, local hits, all new.
GO AND LAUGH.
TICKETS, 25c., 50c. and 75c.
Seats on sale at Waitt's. oct1-td

VICTORIA THEATRE.
Tuesday, Oct. 1st,
Engagement Extraordinary!
First Appearance since her Great Success in London, of the charming comedienne,
PATTI ROSA,
Supported by her own Company, "par excellence," under the management of Mr. Wm. Calder, of London, who will produce her new play, entitled
MARGERY DAW
A Musical Comedy Drama in three acts written expressly for Patti Rosa, by Tom Craven, Esq.
Incidental to the play, PATTI ROSA and Company will introduce
SONGS AND DANCES,
Duets, Trios, Medleys, Banjo Solos.
Wednesday, Oct. 2nd.
LOVE AND DUTY.
Tickets on sale at Waitt's on Saturday, 28th September. sep27

FOR ALBERNI.
The schooner
FAVORITE
Will sail from the C.P.N. Co.'s Dock,
On or about
OCTOBER 4th.
Parties intending to ship will apply on board, or, { C. SPRING. / CAPT. L. McLEAN.
sep28

IRON MOULDERS!
Keep away from Victoria, B. C.
A STRIKE ON.
By order of UNION No. 144.
sep27

LANSDOWNE HOUSE.
86 YATES STREET
Victoria, B. C.
Fall Opening
1889.
MILLINERY DEPARTMENT
Show Room, 2nd Floor.
PATTERN BONNETS,
Felt and Straw Hats,
NOVELTIES
In Feathers, Flowers, Ornaments,
Ulsters,
Jackets,
Dolmans,
Waterproofs,
Jerseys,
Underclothing
Milliner and Manager of this Department,
MRS. HALL.
Upon the Fixtures,
In the Show Cases,
On the Counters,
ARE SHOWN
The Latest Styles
—IN—
Hosiery, Ribbons, Wool Goods, Gloves, Laces, Umbrellas, and Staple Goods.

LANSDOWNE HOUSE
86 Yates Street,
Where we will be pleased to show you the
NEW GOODS
WHICH ARE
Purchased for Cash
And are marked at
HARD TIMES PRICES
Thanking you for past favors, and soliciting a continuance of your patronage, I remain,
Yours respectfully,
John Partridge
sep13

HUDSON'S BAY COMP'Y.
By the Titania we have received large additions to our stock of General Goods. We offer

Mocha Coffee	Anchovy Paste
Java Coffee	Bloater Paste
Cocoa	French Peas and Beans
Chocolate	Limejuice Cordial
Assorted Meats	C. & B. Pickles
Jams and Jellies	Sardines
Marmalade	Salt in bulk and case
French Mustard	Assorted Sauces
Colman's Mustard	Assorted Soups
Lucca Oil	Haddock and Herring
Vinegar in bulk and case.	

We receive constantly fresh consignments of Wieland's Pale Lager Beer in bottles. The best in the market. sep6

Russell, McDonald & Co.'s
FIFTH ANNUAL
PREMIUM DRAWING.
$850.00--WORTH OF GIFTS--$850.00
Distributed as follows:

First Gift	Gold Coin	$100.00
Second do	Dinner Service	50.00
Third do	Gents Gold Watch	50.00
Fourth do	China Tea Set	25.00
Fifth do	do do	25.00
Sixth do	Baby Carriage	25.00
Seventh do	Gents Silver Watch	25.00
Eighth do	Black Silk Dress	20.00
Ninth do	Set of Agate Ware	20.00
Tenth do	Silk or Velvet Dress	20.00
Ten Gifts valued at $20.00 each		200.00
Ten do	do 15.00 do	150.00
Ten do	do 10.00 do	100.00
Ten do	do 5.00	50.00
Total		$850.00

Customers receive one ticket for every dollar's worth of goods purchased.

Drawing takes place DEC. 26th, under the entire management of a committee of ticket holders.

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UNEQUALLED BARGAINS.
Best Qualities But no High Profits.
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FELT GOODS AND RUBBER OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.
Inspect the goods and compare the prices and you will find that it pays to deal at the
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NEW GOODS TO-DAY:
BLACK MOHAIRS AND SICILIANS,
TAPESTRY TABLE COVERS,
Linen Tray Cloths and Runners.
D. SPENCER,
Government Street.

THE LADIES' AID SOCIETY
—OF THE—
FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, PANDORA STREET,
Intends holding its annual
Sale of Fancy and Useful Articles
ON WEDNESDAY, 16th OCT.
sep18-tf Afternoon and evening.

VICTORIA BUILDING SOCIETY
A MEETING OF THE ABOVE SOCIETY will be held at Harmony Hall, View street, on Wednesday evening the 2nd of October, 1889, at 8 p.m., for the purpose of holding the eighth drawing for an appropriation.
Seen that your shares are in good standing.
Outside public admitted.
The Society holds a balance of about 100 shares, which can be taken up by applying to the undersigned at his office, 30 Fort street, or at Harmony Hall every Monday evening from 7:30 to 9:30.
By order,
A. ST. G. FLINT,
sep28 Secretary.

FAIR AND BAZAAR.
The Sisters of St. Ann's Convent propose holding their annual FAIR and BAZAAR at the Philharmonic Hall, on WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, the 9th and 10th of October next, on which days there will be Sales of Plain and Fancy Work. Refreshments will be served during these days. The public are cordially invited. The proceeds will, as usual, be devoted to the Orphans' fund.
EMILY J. HAYNES,
Lady President.

LAND NOTICES.

NOTICE.

SIXTY DAYS AFTER DATE I INTEND TO make application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to cut and carry away trees from the trest of land described as follows:

Commencing at a point about 2½ miles west of the mouth of Bear River; thence south 20 chains; thence west 240 chains; thence north 160 chains, more or less, to the shore of Johnston Strait; thence following the shore line of Johnston Strait to the point of commencement.

DAN BAILEY.
August 24th, 1889. aug24-31-s61

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date we the undersigned intend to make application to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty acres of land situated at Rivers Inlet described as follows: Commencing about two and one-half (2½) miles below the Wannock Cannery at the mouth of the T-See-se-Kog bay at a stake marked A., thence running west 40 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 40 chains, and thence running along the shore to point of commencement. Staked September 15th, 1889.

WM. McDOWELL,
A. McNEILL,
S. A. McDOWELL.
sep25-2m

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT SIXTY days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase 640 acres of land situate at Shushartie Bay, Rupert district, and described as follows: Commencing at the S. E. corner of section 5 (Robt. Hunt's pre-emption claim); thence south 60 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 160 chains; thence east to H. W. M., Shushartie Bay; thence southerly following the shore line to R. Hunt's boundary; thence following said boundary to the point of commencement.

J. D. HELMCKEN.
Victoria, Sept. 18th, 1889. sep19-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I, J. N. Hennessy, intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following tract of land situated in Quatsino district, Vancouver Island, commencing on the sea shore, four (4) chains northeast of the most easterly house in "Quatsino" Indian village, Quatsino Narrows, and running north ten (10) chains; thence east two (2) chains; thence south to the sea shore, and thence in a westerly direction to the place of commencement. Containing two (2) acres, more or less. sep19-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date we intend making application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty acres of land situated at Rivers Inlet, B. C. Commencing at a stake marked A, about two and a half miles below Kildalla River (near White Slide); thence west forty chains; thence south forty chains; thence east forty chains, and thence running along the shore line to point of commencement. Claim located and staked Aug. 29th, 1889.

W. McDOWELL,
A. McNEILL,
S. A. McDOWELL.
sep5-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land, more or less, situate on Cortez Island, Sayward district, B. C., described as follows:

Commencing at a stake in a bay about three-fourths of a mile east of Plumper Pass; thence running east 80 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence west 60 chains, thence south to the shore line of the bay, thence following the shore line to the point of commencement.

M. C. IRELAND.
sep19-2m

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT 60 DAYS from date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land in the Rupert district described as follows: Commencing at the southwest corner of the Indian Reserve at the mouth of the Nimkish River; thence westerly 440 yards; thence north 1760 yards; thence east 440 yards; thence along the western line of the reserve to place of commencement.

ALFRED J. HALL.
August 9th, 1889. aug13